

California Regional Water Quality Control Board North Coast Region

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED NO FURTHER ACTION RELATED TO PETROLEUM DISCHARGE FOR

Trinity County Department of Public Works Hyampom Yard
Main Street
Hyampom
Case No. 1TTR078

Internet Posting Date: September 20, 2006 Comment period ends: October 20, 2006

Proposed Decision

This Notice invites the public to review and comment on the pending decision to require no further actions in the investigation of petroleum releases at the above-referenced property.

Problem description

On August 19, 1998 Evans Construction removed three underground storage tanks (UST); one 1,000-gallon gasoline, one 2,000-gallon diesel, and one 2,000-gallon gasoline. During the tank removal, the site appeared clean with no odor, the tanks appeared to be in good condition, and no soil staining was observed. Soil samples were collected at the time of UST removal.

A total of six soil samples were collected at the time of UST removal on August 19, 1998. Analytical laboratory results showed methyl tertiary butyl ether (MTBE) at 14 μ /Kg and 5.1 μ /Kg, and total xylenes at 1.4 μ /Kg. Total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH) as gasoline and diesel, benzene, toluene, and ethylbenzene were all reported below laboratory detection limits.

Groundwater was not encountered during the tank excavations.

Remedial Actions Completed and Status of Contaminants

Three underground storage tanks were removed from the site. Analytical laboratory results suggest that minimal contamination in soil will not pose a threat to water quality.

Period for Public Review and Comment

The Regional Water Board records for the investigation at Main Street, Hyampom Yard are contained in the file known as the "Trinity County DPW Hyampom Yard" site; Case No. 1TTR078. Any interested party may arrange to review the file at the North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board, 5550 Skylane Boulevard, Suite A, Santa Rosa. Appointments for file review are recommended and can be arranged by calling (707) 576-2220.

California Environmental Protection Agency

The proposed decision to require no further action will be approved without further notice unless significant new information has been submitted before the end of the comment period indicated above. The comment period may be extended if additional time for public review is warranted.

Please submit your written comments to:

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